

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

- 1 1. A recording station, comprising:
 - 2 an interface;
 - 3 a drive capable of receiving a recordable media having content recorded thereon; and
 - 5 a converter capable of converting said content recorded on said recordable media to another format upon a single action by a user.
- 1 2. The recording station as claimed in claim 1, wherein said single action is actuating a button located on said interface.
- 1 3. The recording station as claimed in claim 1, wherein said recordable media is at least one of a compact disc, a mini-disc, a laser disc, and a digital video disc.
- 1 4. The recording station as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a transceiver capable of transferring said content converted to another format to a portable player.
- 1 5. The recording station as claimed in claim 4, wherein said transceiver is capable of transferring said converted content to said portable player through at least one of: a hardwire connection and a wireless connection.
- 1 6. The recording station as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a docking station capable of coupling to a portable player, said docking station further capable of recharging said portable player and transferring said content converted to another format to said portable player when said portable player is coupled to said docking station.

1 7. The recording station as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a
2 second drive capable of receiving a second recordable media, wherein said content
3 converted to another format is transferred to said second recordable media in said
4 second drive.

1 8. The recording station as claimed in claim 1, wherein said content
2 converted to another format is in accordance with MP3 compression standards.

1 9. A method of converting content stored on a recordable media to
2 another format, comprising the steps of:

3 loading the recordable media into a converting device;
4 selecting the content stored on the recordable media to be converted;
5 actuating a single control on said converting device; and
6 converting said selected content stored on the recordable media to another
7 format upon actuation of said single control on said converting device.

1 10. The method as claimed in claim 9, wherein said single control is a
2 button located on said converting device.

1 11. The method as claimed in claim 9, wherein said recordable media is at
2 least one of a compact disc, a mini-disc, a laser disc, and a digital video disc.

1 12. The method as claimed in claim 9, further comprising the step of
2 transferring said selected content converted to another format to a portable player.

1 13. The method as claimed in claim 9, further comprising the step of
2 transferring said selected content converted to another format to a second recordable
3 media.

1 14. The method as claimed in claim 9, wherein said selected content
2 converted to another format is in accordance with MP3 compression standards.

1 15. A recording station, comprising:
2 an interface;
3 a drive capable of receiving a recordable media; and
4 a transceiver capable of transferring content stored on said recordable media
5 to another device upon a single action by a user.

1 16. The recording station as claimed in claim 15, wherein said single
2 action is actuating a button located on said interface.

1 17. The recording station as claimed in claim 15, wherein said another
2 device is a portable player.

1 18. The recording station as claimed in claim 15, wherein said recordable
2 media is at least one of a compact disc, a mini-disc, a laser disc, and a digital video
3 disc.

1 19. The recording station as claimed in claim 15, further comprising a
2 converter capable of converting said content stored on said recordable media into
3 another format.

1 20. The recording station as claimed in claim 19, wherein said content
2 converted to another format is in accordance with MP3 compression standards.

1 21. The recording station as claimed in claim 15, further comprising a
2 docking station capable of coupling to said another device, said docking station
3 further capable of recharging said another device and transferring said content stored
4 on said recordable media to said another device when said another device is coupled
5 to said docking station.

1 22. The recording station as claimed in claim 15, wherein said transceiver
2 is capable of transferring said content stored on said recordable media to said another
3 device through one of: a hardwire connection and a wireless connection.

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